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- (1) U.S. Patent No. 4,910,510 entitled SYSTEM FOR OFF-THE-AIR REPROGRAMMING OF COMMUNICATION RECEIVERS, By Davis et al., patented March 20, 2003.
- (2) U.S. Patent No. 5,406,484 entitled METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR RELOADING PROCESSOR CONTROL PROGRAMS, By Wurzenberger, patented April 11, 1995.
- (3) European Patent No. 0 767 426 entitled METHOD FOR PROGRAMMING AN APPARATUS, By Raaf et al., published April 9, 1997. This patent discloses program data which are wirelessly transmitted from a radio transmitter to a radio

receiver and written into a data memory. The program data are supplemented by memory-region address data. Before writing in the program data, the contents of the memory regions addressed by the memory address data are tested. The program data are written into the memory by manual input of a confirmation command based on the test results. The data of a predetermined program segment are transmitted in a frame of several transmissions. The program data are in machine code.

The undersigned submits the above-identified references for independent consideration by the Examiner and does not make any admission that these references are or are not material to the present invention or that these references are or are not prior art with respect to the present invention.

Respectfully submitted,

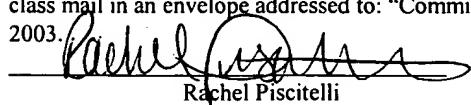
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